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39<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL  
**FIRE & FRAUD  
INVESTIGATION  
TRAINING SEMINAR**



**SEPT. 8 - 13, 2006  
SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI**

*IN COOPERATION WITH*  
**THE MISSOURI DIVISION OF FIRE SAFETY**



**The 39th Annual Professional Fire and Fraud Investigators Training Seminar will be held Sept. 8 - 13, 2006 at the Clarion Hotel in Springfield, Missouri**

### ***TRAINING CREDITS***

Training hours from this seminar can be applied to the recertification requirements of the Missouri Division of Fire Safety Fire Investigator Certification program. A total of 12 hours in Session I and 21 hours in Session II will be conducted. Attendance will be monitored and is required to receive a certificate for these hours.

Selected hours from this seminar can also be applied to the continuing education requirements for peace officer certification in Missouri. The Missouri Division of Fire Safety is an approved P.O.S.T. provider and is co-sponsoring this seminar.

### ***REGISTRATION***

The registration fee for Session I for P.F.F.I.A. members is \$80 and \$105 for nonmembers. The registration fee for Session II for P.F.F.I.A. members is \$100 and \$125 for nonmembers. The registration fee for both sessions for P.F.F.I.A. members is \$155 and \$180 for nonmembers.

Interested individuals may apply for membership with their registration and receive the lower registration fees.

Pre-registration must be mailed by Sept. 1, 2006. Walk-in registration will be accepted at the seminar with an additional charge of \$10.

Lunch will be provided Saturday, Monday, and Tuesday.

## **Professional Fire & Fraud Investigators Association AWARD RECOMMENDATION**

Awards are presented based on the recommendation of a P.F.F.I.A. member and reviewed by the Awards Committee. When submitting an individual for an award, please present a detailed account of the accomplishments of the nominee.

**Circle Award Category:**      **Hanson**      **Prosecutor**

**Nominee Information:** (All information must be typed.)

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_

How long has the nominee been involved in the activity or occupation on which the award is based?

Please detail on additional sheets the reasons you believe this person should be presented with the \_\_\_\_\_ award.

Submitting Member's Name:

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Submit to:*

Bill Zieres, P.F.F.I.A. Awards Committee  
Missouri Division of Fire Safety  
P.O. Box 844  
Jefferson City, MO 65102



# 2006 SEMINAR REGISTRATION

***PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Representing: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Session I, Sept. 9-10, 2006

☐ P.F.F.I.A. Member: \$80    ☐ Non-member: \$105

## Session II, Sept. 11-13, 2006

☐ P.F.F.I.A. Member: \$100    ☐ Non-member: \$125

## Session I & II, Sept. 9-13, 2006

☐ P.F.F.I.A. Member: \$155    ☐ Non-member: \$180

***Payment must accompany registration.  
Make checks payable to P.F.F.I.A.***

***Mail registration to:***

**P.F.F.I.A. Training Seminar  
#1 Timberbrook Drive  
St. Peters, MO 63376**

## ***LODGING***

The Clarion Hotel, 3333 South Glenstone, Springfield, Missouri is providing a room rate of \$62.95 per night for conference attendees. Participants should make their own reservations with the hotel by calling 800-756-7318 and should identify themselves as part of the P.F.F.I.A. Seminar to receive the special room rate.

## ***AWARD RECOMMENDATION***

P.F.F.I.A. recognizes outstanding achievement in the field of fire investigation and arson prosecution through two annual awards given by the organization:

**The Harry Hanson Award** recognizes individuals who have made a significant contribution toward advancing fire investigation in the state of Missouri.

**The Prosecutor of the Year** recognizes individuals who realize the impact arson can have in the community and have worked to bring those responsible for the act of arson to justice.

An award nomination form is included in this booklet.



For additional information:

**www.PFFIA.com  
(636)970-9700**



# SESSION I

## Friday, Sept. 8

6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Registration

## Saturday, Sept. 9

7:30 - 8 a.m. Registration

8 a.m. Response to Explosive Incidents  
*U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco,  
Firearms, and Explosives*

12 p.m. Networking lunch provided

1 p.m. Response to Explosive Incidents  
*continued*

5 p.m. Class Concludes

## Sunday, Sept. 10

8 a.m. Practical Evolutions with Post-Blast Scene Investigations

Participants should bring protective or work clothing including safety boots and gloves!

12 p.m. Session I Concludes

# SESSION II

## Monday, Sept. 11

7:30 - 8 a.m. Registration

8 a.m. Non-Verbal Communication Skills  
*Prospero Ellis, U.S. Customs*

11:30 a.m. Networking lunch provided

12:30 p.m. Annual General Membership Meeting and Election of Officers

1:30 p.m. Non-Verbal Communication Skills  
*continued*

## Tuesday, Sept. 12

8 a.m. Myths and Legends of Origin and Cause  
*Louis Velazco, B.A.T.F. National Academy Director (retired)*

12 p.m. Networking lunch provided

1 p.m. To be announced

## Wednesday, Sept. 13

8 a.m. Analytical Techniques for Fire Investigators  
*Laura Vandiver, U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives*

12 p.m. Seminar Concludes